KENTUCKY BOARD OF LICENSURE FOR MASSAGE THERAPY BOARD MEETING April 6, 2015

A regular meeting for the Kentucky Board of Licensure for Massage Therapy was held at the Office of Occupations and Professions, located at 911 Leawood Drive, Frankfort, KY, April 6, 2015.

MEMBERS PRESENT

Denise Logsdon, LMT, Chair Katherine Warner, LMT, Vice Chair Cheryl Turner, ND, LMT, Secretary Eric Byrd, LMT Sandy Gadd, LMT Laurie Bond Horsford, Citizens-at-Large

OCCUPATIONS AND PROFESSIONS STAFF

Jessie Parker, Board Administrator Gordon Slone, Executive Director

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

Marcus Jones, Assistant Attorney General

MEMBERS ABSENT OTHERS

Kay Juaco, AMTA State Rep. Dennis Horlander

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CALL TO ORDER

Ms. Logsdon, Chair, called the board meeting to order at 10:06 am.

MINUTES

Ms. Warner made a motion to approve the minutes from March 2, 2015, with amendments. Mr. Byrd seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Ms. Gadd made a motion to accept the financial statement as submitted. Ms. Turner seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

STATUS REPORT

The Licensure Status report for March was reviewed. Ms. Warner made a motion to accept the report. Ms. Turner seconded the motion. It was approved unanimously.

REPORT FROM O&P

Mr. Slone gave the report from O&P. The new phone system is being installed soon, and each board administrator will have a new, direct phone line. Ms. Parker's new phone number is 502-782-8808. Mr. Slone discussed the personnel changes, including one retirement and two new hires for board administrator positions. Mr. Slone brought the Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) for the Board to discuss. This MOA is an extension of the MOA for the fiscal year that begins in July 2015 (FY 2016), and is an agreement between the Board and O&P for services. Online renewals were also discussed. Ms. Warner stated the Massage Board is not getting the services they are paying for from O&P. The main cause of concern is the inability to renew online. Mr. Slone explained the problems with the online renewal system and it was agreed that the Board will not open the online renewals until the issues have been resolved.

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ATTORNEY'S REPORT

Mr. Jones gave the Board a report on redactions of information.

OLD BUSINESS

The AMTA Conference was discussed again. A motion to pay travel expenses for Ms. Logsdon and Mr. Byrd was made by Ms. Turner, and was seconded by Ms. Horsford. The motion carried unanimously. Ms. Parker will be working at the conference from 11:30 to 2:00 on Saturday, April 11.

The Complaint Committee discussed the starting time again, and decided to stay at 8:00 am for the next meeting. If the business of the committee still cannot be completed before the full Board meeting is to start, the committee may discuss meeting a different date.

House Bill 153 was discussed again. It passed during the General Session of 2015, and sent to the Governor for his signature. Ms. Parker is to get a copy of the official bill.

NEW BUSINESS

North Carolina State Board of Dental Examiners v. FTC was discussed. Members were given a copy of a summary of this Supreme Court decision to review.

The Board's membership with FARB is up for renewal. Ms. Warner made the motion that the Board renew its' membership. Ms. Turner seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

The Board discussed approving FARB CLE credits. Mr. Byrd made the motion to accept FARB CLE credits. Ms. Turner seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

COMPLAINT COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Byrd made the following report on behalf of the Complaint Committee:

2013-15 - Ongoing

2014-06A - Ongoing

2014-06B - Ongoing

2014-07 - Revoke license

2014-08 – Ongoing

2014-09 - Ongoing

2014-10 - Closed

2014-11 - Ongoing

2014-12 - Closing

2014-13 - Ongoing

2014-15 – Ongoing

2014-16 – Closing

2014-17 - Closing

2014-18 - Ongoing

2015-1-- Ongoing

2015-2 – Ongoing

2015-3 - Ongoing

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2015-4 – Referred to investigator

2015-5 - Ongoing

2015-6 - Referred to investigator

2015-7 – Referred to investigator

2015-8—Referred to investigator

Ms. Gadd made a motion to accept the report of the complaint committee. Ms. Turner seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

APPLICATION COMMITTEE REPORT

The Application Committee met on April 1, 2015, at the Office of Occupations and Professions, 911 Leawood Drive, Frankfort Kentucky. The following members were in attendance: Ms. Warner and Ms. Gadd. Ms. Parker (Board Administrator) and Mr. Jones (Board Attorney) were also in attendance. Four interviews were scheduled and completed. On behalf of the Application Committee Ms. Warner made the following recommendations:

Renewals (133)

Approved (121): Emin Aliyev; Angela Babb; Regina Bach; Mary Bianchi; Pamela Bilyeu; Nicole Blevins, Jennifer Boothe; Samantha Boyd; Melanie Braxton; Trina Brown; Larry Burke; Susanna Buscemi; Tracy Byrd; Paul Carney; Debbie Clemens; Jayne Cline; Mark Cline; Ashlee Coomes; Kathryn Cornwell; Shannon DeVault/Rich; Amanda Duncan; Debra Falder; Heather Foster; Patricia Fitzpatrick; Cathryn Forester; Marie Garey; Donna Green; Samantha Griffin; Twila Griffis; Colleen Hall; Angela Hamblin; Robyn Hardy; Nancy Hathaway; James Hawkins; Patricia Hayden; Katie Hedden; Teresa Hook; M. Kelly Hughes; Jennifer Hurtt; Rachel Hurtt; Kiana Jackson; Michelle Johnson; Sergey Karabashyan; Lisa Kendrick; Karen Knissel-Jackson; Terra Knox; Kimberly Krueger; Darlene Lawless; Jill Lewis; Gabriel Lilytree; Roger Lisanby; Kammaleathahh Livingstone; Karen Lodes; Kerry Lofton; Kirsten Lowery; Kristie Lutz; Karen Mahoney; Candace Mason; Timothy Mast; Melissa Mattingly; Patricia Mattingly; Deidra McAdoo; Ashley McMahan; Stephanie Meredith; Linda Moffett; Michelle Morris; Donna Moses; Melissa Mowery; Whitney Mullins; Bobby Myers; Amanda Nichols; Harold Nowlin; Matthew O'Daniel; Michelle Oliver; Yvonne Pack; Nicole Pare; Karen Parker; Patricia Pastor; Melissa Payne; Travis Peacock; Amy Perry; Cody Phillips; Priscilla Pike; Sonya Pinkston; Jamarta Porter; Erin Pracht; Monica Preston; Lucy Prince; Erin Reed; Rebecca Roberts; Sherry Roberts; Tanya Robinson-Beauchamp; Anna St. Clair; Melissa Salchli; Cindy Salyers; Lauren Sands; Mary Slaughter; Paula Schultz; Angela Smothers; Ada Spencer; Johnetta Stokes; Wanda Sucher; Megan Trodglen (Zanchi); Karen Tyson; Jeanie Unkraut; Regina Veach; Sarah Vincent; Jason Waller; Katherine Warner; Sondra Watkins; Verna Wells; John Wharton; Rebecca White; Cheryl Wiesemann; Tracie Wilkies; Denise Willinger; Patrick Wise; Denise Wooldridge; Judy Yeager; Pamela Yenawine; Candace Brink.

Approved Pending (11): Tami Barger; Tabitha Blackburn; Maria Coulter; Tammy Craig; Jacqueline Evans; Kari Fogle; Jeresa Hammonds; Ute Hoskins; Lindsey Jean; Casey Johnson; Christie Johnson:

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Deferred (1): Brittany Bennington

Initial Applications (20)

Approved (18): Corby Bartelt; Kasey Browne; Teresa Burnett; RoxAnna Butler; Isabella Christensen; Natalie Dillingham; Lisa Edwards; Anne-Claire Gibson; Christopher Harris; Megan Havicus; Carolyn King; Patricia Mason; Christopher McCutcheon; Shannon Montgomery; Reinik Pidgeon; Amanda Reyes; Amber Woods; Eleesha Rushin

Approved Pending (2): Ashley Caudill; Emily Dunagan

Endorsement Applications (4)

Approved (4): Martina Colbert; Traci Foor; Christine Gibson; Tammy Loomis

Audited Renewals (5)

Approved (5): Lisa Williams; Hannah Thomas; Tonya Smith; Bernita Wilson; Maegan Dodd

Mr. Byrd made a motion to accept the recommendation of the application committee. Ms. Turner seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

Education Committee

Ms. Logsdon reported for the committee. There were no applications for certificates of good standing or continuing education.

TRAVEL AND PER DIEM

Ms. Turner made a motion that all board members in attendance be reimbursed travel and per diem for attending the meeting. Ms. Gadd seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

NEXT MEETING

The next Application Committee is scheduled to meet at 10:00 a.m. on April 29, 2015, with interviews being held at 10:00 am. The May board meeting is scheduled for Monday, May 4, at 10:00 a.m. The Complaint Committee meeting will begin at 8:00 a.m.

ADJOURNMENT

Having no further business brought before the Board, Ms. Turner made a motion the meeting be adjourned at 12:04 pm. Ms. Gadd seconded the motion.

Prepared by Jessie Parker April 28, 2015

Denise Logsdon, Board Chair

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